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Treasurer and School Committee,

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AUDITORS' REPORT.

Having carefully examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer, we submit the following report:

AMOUNT RECEIVED BY SELECTMEN.	DR.
Rec'd, Ira Merrill, Treasurer for 1885,	\$ 91
F. Ferguson, town house agent,	3 30
County, support County poor for 1885, and to Mar. 9, 1886,	641 06
From Dist. No. 6, school money on hand,	7 20
Dr. E. A. Toby, liquors, casks and jugs,	33 16
Webster & Russell, over payment on house rent for Emeline Colby,	1 56
John Whiteman, for house rent,	3 00
H. N. Merrill, for hay from Ames farm in 1885,	18 67
D. A. French, lease, 1886,	6 00
R. K. & J. Clement, lease int. 1885-'86,	3 84
E. B. Libbey, " 1886,	3 30
S. C. Bixby, " "	8 49
I. T. Willis, " 1885,	8 49
A. M. Barber, hay from David Jewell farm, '86,	10 36
E. Stevens, bal. due J. T. Cummings, cow,	7 42
Interest on E. Dow schoo fund,	50 00
Enoch Merrill, use of town house, 1886,	38 30
State, railroad tax, 1886,	368 16
Savings bank tax, 1886,	1072 17
State, Literary fund, 1886,	93 44
Chas. H. Davis, use of town house,	5 00
Ann Bixby, for use of Jewell pasture, 1886,	5 00
Dr. G. D. Soule, porter,	2 00
S. E. Swain, Collector, taxes of 1885,	831 25
" " int. taxes 1885,	6 37
" " 1886,	4066 14
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	\$7294 59

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid State Tax for 1886,	\$648 00
County Tax,	651 50
F. C. Clement, Chair. School Board, for schools,	1225 44
Geo. B. Merrill, for two sheep killed by dogs, in 1885,	5 50
Jason Flanders, four sheep killed by dogs, 1885,	12 00

PAID FOR LABOR ON HIGHWAY.

Paid L. D. Fifield,	\$1 50
H. D. Martin,	4 37
James Belzea,	1 25
James Harriman,	3 50
Arthur Pike,	3 20
Wm. F. Blake,	1 00
Wm. W. Garland,	8 94
R. D. Fifield,	3 36
Alfred Merrill,	4 32
C. B. Woodward,	62
Geo. N. Boynton,	1 50
F. L. Houghton, '85-'86,	3 75
Walter P. Smith,	3 75
F. L. Gould,	4 00
Jerome Whitcher,	2 00
L. D. Fifield,	1 87
James Belzea,	1 87
Amos L. Merrill,	5 05
Geo. N. Boynton,	60
E. C. Cummings,	3 75
C. E. Batchelder,	2 86
John Goodwin,	9 55
James Clough,	1 20
Charles Tyrell,	1 62
Frank Gale,	2 50
F. P. Little,	3 50
E. L. Fifield,	4 50
R. P. Whelpley,	1 25

J. M. Harriman,	\$2 25
Sam'l Whitcher,	4 00
Abram Cookson,	9 50
C. M. Badger,	1 50
E. F. Flanders,	7 51
Arthur Knapp,	5 00
C. H. Elliott,	1 50
J. T. Cummings,	3 87
Fred L. Swain,	1 68
Wm. F. Blake,	3 12
F. A. Whitcher,	1 25
D. Stewart,	1 50
Fred Bixby,	48
Ed. W. Gould,	3 00
C. W. Burleigh,	1 25
S. E. Swain,	1 25
Sam. Merrill,	1 49
J. Kelley,	1 25
Elmore E. Swain,	3 12
O. S. Gleason,	3 12
Jesse O. Merrill,	4 00
J. M. Little,	1 45
Henry Kimball,	2 50
H. A. Whitcher,	3 75
Wm. F. Gale,	3 12
W. D. Leighton,	1 25
O. H. French,	3 37
B. G. Andrews,	3 32
Albert Kimball,	60
Herbert H. Pike,	96
C. H. Batchelder, '85-'86,	10 30
H. T. Armington & Co.,	9 70
Joel Batchelder,	8 02
C. O. French.	8 85
Leroy Crockett,	4 90
Charles A. Whitcher,	13 19

Paid Frank Gale,	\$13 56
Charles Tyrell,	2 40
Ira M. Libbey,	3 02
H. D. Whitcher,	11 40
Oscar Blake, on bridge,	2 62
H. G. Pike,	1 80
G. W. Whitcher,	3 00
E. D. Cotton,	4 36
X. B. Wright,	2 17
C. Cutting,	1 41
J. S. Batchelder,	2 74
Eaton & Armington, 1885,	2 50
C. H. Batchelder,	18 41
J. B. Moses,	3 83
W. W. Garland,	3 88
Amos Reynolds,	1 20
D. Stewart,	2 08
S. M. Perry,	8 52
H. A. Whittemore,	2 00
J. F. Goodwin,	3 12
R. M. Libbey,	1 25
W. W. Garland,	1 50
Geo. C. Eastman,	1 20
J. M. Harriman,	12 00
Abram Cookson,	19 62
O. H. French,	2 40
I. Blake,	9 10
Geo. E. Swain,	7 18
H. G. Pike,	1 25
Reuben Batchelder,	1 25
W. H. Batchelder,	1 25
D. Boynton,	2 25
Geo. C. Eastman,	3 57
R. Upton,	13 94
F. W. Batchelder,	4 29

Paid Geo. E. Swain,	\$1 50
Jesse O. Merrill,	23 78
M. Merrill,	4 33
J. F. Merrill, on bridge,	3 71
G. M. Clough,	3 51
C. O. French,	1 00
S. M. Perry,	8 94
O. H. French,	8 18
R.Upton,	7 28
I. T. Willis,	2 32
B. F. Eastman,	8 37
B. F. Eastman,	5 45
F. C. Cummings,	1 40
A. L. Merrill,	75
Frank Flanders,	1 20
Sylvester Flanders,	1 20
H. D. Whitcher,	5 20
F. P. Little,	50
S. E. Swain, labor and building fence,	4 00
R. Briley,	2 50
J. M. Harriman,	2 60
W. W. Garland,	4 20
Asa B. Merrill,	7 70
C. G. Foote,	14 73
A. L. Pike,	1 25
S. Mason, '85 and '86,	2 75
C. H. Davis,	2 52
D. F. Stetson,	1 51
J. M. Harriman,	11 30
Wm. Swain,	3 20
C. H. Elliott,	1 75
Fran ^k Reynolds,	1 25
D. Stewart,	60
W. F. Cotton,	2 75
C. O. French,	4 05
O. S. Gleason,	1 80

Sam Whitcher, for work on river in '85,	\$10 50
J. Hadlock, for road machine,	250 00
B. & L. Railroad, freight on machine,	11 80
O. S. Gleason, for work on road machine, building and highway,	8 13
L. F. Wheeler, for plow and mold board,	17 00
J. M. Bixby, for freight on plow,	80
J. B. Wright, for crossing field winter of '85,	5 00
James Jewell, for bridge plank,	27 00
C. W. Cummings, " "	18 49
H. T. Armington & Co., "	12 98
Arthur Knapp, for lumber,	102 56
Arthur Knapp, for building fence between Jewell farm & Knapp and between Jewell farm & Bixby & Knapp,	11 90

PAID FOR COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. E. H. Cross:—

Dr. G. B. Emerson, visits and medicines,	\$33 00
Dr. E. A. Tobey, "	21 00
H. L. Watson, "	53 35
Mrs. E. H. Cross, for medical aid,	16 00
C. W. Cummings, for goods,	4 00
Ira Merrill, cash furnished Mrs. Cross,	50
G. W. Prescott, potatoes,	1 20
E. B. Eaton & Son, goods,	19 85
Ann Bixby, for house rent,	21 00
J. M. Bixby, butter and milk,	3 55
Mary F. Daniels, care,	9 00
Mrs. E. M. Stratton, board and care,	78 29
G. H. L. Head, hauling wood,	1 50
J. S. Jewett, potatoes,	1 00
Green & Thorpe, wood,	1 00
J. H. Kelly, pasturing cow and support of infant,	12 60
Gale & Whitcher, for beef,	1 98
Amos Clement, for potatoes,	50

SUPPORT OF CHESTER SPOONER.

Paid Dr. G. D. Soule, for medicine,	\$ 50
Mrs. E. Kimball, for house rent,	2 50
Dr. J. F. Willey,	2 00
E. B. Eaton & Son, goods,	40 69
F. C. Cummings, hauling wood.	1 25
Frank Gale, keeping cow, and moving Spooner,	13 00
A. M. Barber, for phosphate,	1 00
Dr. E. A. Toby, medicine and attendance,	5 35
J. S. Jewett, for phosphate,	60
Arthur Knapp, for wood,	8 62
C. H. Colby, for pasture for cow,	5 00
Arthur Knapp, for wood,	13 75

FOR SUPPORT OF F. C. WYATT.

E. N. Merrill, for support,	\$52 00
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SUPPORT OF MRS. JOHN WHITEMAN.

E. B. Eaton & Son, for goods,	1 49
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SUPPORT OF H. D. JUDKIN'S FAMILY.

Dr. Toby, medical attendance,	6 25
Ticket to St. Johnsbury for Mrs. Judkins,	1 60
E. B. Eaton & Son, goods,	28 00
H. D. Whitcher, for potatoes,	50
Mrs. H. D. Whitcher, for making clothes,	6 00
H. N. Merrill, for coffin and case,	16 50
John Whitcher, milk,	24
Henry M. Merrill, for coffin and case for Hiram Noyes,	\$16 00
A. M. Barber, for support of Austin Whiteman,	7 30

SUPPORT OF J. W. GOODWIN'S FAMILY.

Dr. Toby, for medical attendance,	1 75
Wm. Currier, for support,	10 00

SUPPORT OF MRS. SAMUEL OSBORNE.

Mrs. Harriet M. Merrill, for board,	52 00
Dr. R. E. Merrill for medical attendance,	3 25

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SUPPORT OF J. LEVOY AND WIFE—ONE HALF TO TOWN.

Paid C. H. Elliott for plowing,	\$1 25
E. B. Eaton & Son for goods,	70 40
C. A. Spalding, for plowing,	1 00
A. M. Barber, for phosphate,	58
Dr. E. A. Toby, medical aid,	2 50
Green & Thorpe, wood,	2 00
Arthur Knapp, "	17 87
A. M. Barber, for soap and filing saw,	66
N. H. Asylum for boarding Mrs. Mary A. Fifield from Jan., 1, to Mar., 1 '86,	32 40
A. D. Fifield, expense to Concord after Mary A. Fifield,	7 10

SUPPORT OF DAVID AND FANNY JEWELL, ONE HALF BY TOWN.

C. H. Elliott, for plowing.	\$ 75
I. Merrill, for recording lease,	60
E. B. Eaton & Son, for goods,	45 42
A. M. Barber, for phosphate,	1 00
B. F. Warren, plowing, wood and oats,	14 85
C. A. Spalding, plowing and hauling wood,	2 80
Green & Thorpe, for wood.	1 00
B. F. Warren, for pork,	11 93
A. M. Barber, labor,	2 25
Bartlett & Hubbard, meal,	1 70
Arthur Knapp, wood,	14 00
Dr. E. A. Tobey, medical aid,	1 75

TOWN POOR. SUPPORT OF JOHN T. CUMMING'S FAMILY.

C. W. Cummings, for goods,	.57
E. B. Eaton & Son "	73 25
Sylvester Flanders, wood,	3 00
Dr. E. A. Toby, medical aid,	5 00
J. S. Jewett, potatoes,	1 00
A. M. Barber, "	34
Reuben Batchelder, potatoes,	3 00
Amos Clement, "	50
Oliver Burk, for wood,	5 00

SUPPORT OF MRS. EMELINE COLBY.

Paid Dr. Haven Palmer, for medical attendance,	\$84 50
Webster & Russell, goods and house rent,	82 09
A. M. Barber, milk,	75
D. A. Webber, “	1 05
Wm. Russell, house rent,	6 00
Town of Plymouth, support,	32 00

SUPPORT MRS. JOHN EAMES.

Josiah Lowell, support,	\$36 21
Dr. E. A. Toby, medical attendance,	16 00
Dr. E. C. Chase, visits and medicine,	14 00

KEEPING TRAMPS.

Paid Ira Merrill, for cash paid out,	\$ 50
Wm. Currier, keeping tramps,	2 50
G. H. L. Head, “	1 12
A. M. Barber, “	75
“ telegraphing to S. P. Carbee,	25

WATER TROUGHS.

Paid Warren Water Co., 1884-5-6,	18 00
Jonathan Little, 1886,	3 00
Rebate on school houses, total amount to Warren,	1711 47
Rebate to town of Benton,	19 90
E. M. Hines, non-resident highway tax for 1886,	1 88
C. T. Shute, “ “ “ “ “	56

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Paid H. N. Merrill, for lumber and shingles,	\$72 31
Ira Merrill, methodist ministerial money for '86,	11 23
Henry Chase, Baptist “ ‘84 and '85,	22 44
Jonathan Dow, Universalist “ ‘85,	11 22
G. F. Sanborn, printing town report, '85:	14 40
G. H. H. Silsby, account books,	10 54
Edson C. Eastman, check lists,	1 76
“ “ order books,	90
Henry A. Little, invoice, record book,	9 60
S. E. Swain, tax bills,	2 56
R. W. Musgrove, school notices,	75

Paid J. S. Jewett, school books, Byron Copp.	\$2 95
Henry A. Little, taking Mrs. J. W. Goodwin's de- position,	25
Ira Merrill, settling with County for 1885,	2 80
Dr. E. A. Toby, registering births and deaths,	2 75
Dr. R. E. Merrill, " " "	1 00
E. F. Howland, clapboard hearts,	41
J. M. Bixby, fence post for town farm,	2 75
David Goodwin, planing boards,	25
A. M. Barber, expense to Plymouth, in regard to Mrs. Colby,	1 15
A. M. Barber, expense to Haverhill and Springfield, Mass., in regard to Mary A. Clement's resi- dence,	17 60
A. M. Barber, expense to Plymouth,	1 15
" " "	2 30
A. M. Barber, postage and stationary,	1 75
C. W. Cummings, nails and "	3 68
Burleigh & Adams, for counsel on Mrs. Clement's case,	5 00
A. M. Barber, expenses to Littleton and return, two tickets,	5 60

SERVICES TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid J. M. Bixby, services Selectman,	\$80 00
H. N. Merrill, "	80 00
C. K. Leonard, "	70 00
Henry A. Little, Town Clerk,	25 00
E. B. Eaton, Treasurer,	20 00
S. E. Swain, Collector,	84 04
A. M. Barber, Overseer of Poor,	20 00
F. C. Clement, member of School Board,	40 00
Dr. E. A. Toby, " and Health Officer,	14 00
D. A. French, Supervisor,	11 00
J. M. Little, " 1886,	7 50

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Paid Henry D. Whitcher, Supervisor,	\$7 50
C. Henry Davis, town house agent,	1 75
Enoch Merrill, "	18 00
David Hibbard, Auditor,	1 50
Horace D. Abbott, "	3 00
Walter Libbey, "	1 50

	\$7231 65

E. B. EATON, TREASURER. DR.

Rec'd S. E. Swain, Collector,	\$4903 76
Selectmen,	2390 83

	\$7294 59
Paid disbursements as above,	\$7231 65
Cash in Treasurer's hands,	\$62 94

	\$7294 59

INDEBTEDNESS OF THE TOWN.

Due Baptist ministerial money '86,	\$11 22
Universalists, " "	11 22
On School House Rebates,	421 74

Total Indebtedness,	\$444 18

MEANS OF PAYMENT.

Due from Merrimac River Savings Bank,	\$421 25
" Amoskeag Savings Bank,	551 00
I. T. Willis, lease, 1886,	8 49
Hay on Eames farm,	25 00
Value of porter on hand, estimated,	12 00
On taxes of 1886,	1143 73
Value of John Eames, from estimates,	400 00
From County for support of the county poor from March 9, 1886,	686 18

Total Means of Payment,	\$3247 65
Balance in favor of Town,	\$2803 47

We find the above accounts of selectmen and treasurer, correct and properly vouched.

DAVID HIBBARD,
H. D. ABBOTT,
WALTER LIBBEY. }
} Auditors.

Warren, N. H., Mar., 1, 1887.

SCHOOL REPORT.

SCHOOL NO. 1.

Taught by Miss Eastman, though small in number through non-attendance, there was marked interest and fine progress as is usual with a good teacher.

SCHOOL NO. 2.

Both terms of the primary department were taught by Miss Wheet to the satisfaction of all. She is a model teacher. The school is one of the best, if not the best in town, the result in part at least of an excellent teacher last year. Grammar department, summer term taught by Miss Eastman who natural aptitude for the work always guarantees a good school. The winter term was taught by Mr. Hilton of Lowell, Mass., Dartmouth student. Thorough, systematic, impartial and a fine disciplinarian, Mr. Hilton has made the school a marked success, and the scholars have spent their time in work, not in mischief.

SCHOOL NO. 3.

Second term was taught by Miss Wheet, and if all teachers were as competent for the work it would lighten much the cares of the School Board. The third term was under the charge of Mr. Cotton who was faithful to his work, and proved satisfactory to the district.

SCHOOL NO. 4.

Was taught by Miss Pillsbury whose evident interest in her work was imparted in turn to her scholars; the progress was good, and the school very satisfactory.

SCHOOL NO. 7.

First term was taught by Miss Morrison and was pleasant, interesting, and the progress good. The second term was in charge of the same teacher who wins the affection and interest of her pupils, but there was a little lack of discipline which prevented the best achievements. The third term was taught by Mr. Drake who was conscientious in the performance of his work. Both the order and progress good, but the size of the school was such as to prevent the best results, although there were some apt scholars who did well during the short term of 9 weeks. The number of names on the visitors list shows a gratifying interest in the school.

SCHOOL NO. 8.

The summer term was taught by Miss Currier. It was her first school. Well educated and with a fund of general information she possesses those inherent qualities that interest scholars in their studies. Dr. Toby pronounced the school a decided success. If there was a lack, it was in discipline. The second term was taught by Miss Williams, an active and experienced teacher, and the progress was good considering the number of the absences.

SCHOOL NO. 9.

Was commenced by Miss Cutting but her health proving unequal to the task, the Board at her request secured another teacher, Mr. H. L. Cotton, who gained the good will of the scholars and carried a difficult school through successfully.

SCHOOL NO. 10.

A short term was well taught to the profit of the pupils by Mrs. E. R. Griffin.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Containing the names of all pupils who have been present every half day of a term without being absent or tardy:

Charles E. Bartlett, Otis C. Cummings, Myrtie D. Ferguson, Grace E. French, Rosella E. French, Josie A. Swain, Jennie T. Whitcher, Edith M. Leonard, Mattie A. Page, Edward Howland, Luila M. Whitcher, Lena O. Merrill, Fannie J. Merrill, Jennie U. Moses, Cora A. Little, Nellie E. Davis, Musa D. Judkins.

The following have been in perfect attendance for the school year:

Martha L. Cummings, Maynard E. Cummings, Lee A. Clement, Cora M. Fales, Eva D. Fales, Alice M. Batchelder, Ralph J. Little, Dick K. Little.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The School Board has endeavored to run the schools at such places and *times* as should "give all the scholars of the town *nearly equal* advantages as may be practicable," in accordance with the new law. We have given about all the scholars

of the town an opportunity to attend three terms of school, except on Ore hill and Swain hill, but they have been given more than double the amount of schooling received last year. Last year Ore hill, Swain hill, the Summit, No. 10 and No. 3, containing 79 scholars according to the school report, over half of those in town, had one term only. (There was one exception, No. 3 had about \$31. of back money which taken together with the unusual amount of lumber taxed there, gave them more than the single term of ordinary years.)

In our judgment medium sized schools not less than ten weeks in length are of the most profit under the conditions which obtain here.

We made a contract with the Benton School Board, on the same basis as they made with the Haverhill Board, to receive their scholars, stated to be somewhere from 7 to 10 in number, at \$4. each for the school year. There proved to be 17 in all.

With the consent of the Selectmen the blackboards were repaired and a Webster's unabridged dictionary supplied at the Summit. Every school should have one, if not the unabridged, then a smaller one; that is the intention now.

Supplementary readers, Lippincott's, Butler's and the Natural History series have been introduced into all the schools, free of expense, and have added greatly to the interest, while the last named series particularly, are very instructive.

The first thing is to secure the best teachers possible, and next for the parents to have their children attend school *regularly*. You have paid your money, have your children reap the full benefit of it when possible, for the loss to them is irretrievable. We wish that parents could fully realize this. The *habit* alone, viewing the matter in a business light, of steady application is of untold value to the pupil when the health will permit. In some schools the absences have been unavoidable by reason of sickness. Many teachers complain, and with reason, that they cannot make their classes show the progress and thoroughness on review that they could otherwise.

There is one point about the new school law that corrects

what was before an injustice. If it happened that A. B. C. and D. owning a large amount of property lived within one particular district (usually by the village) though perhaps having no scholars to send, their school taxes usually went to that district, whereas now it goes for the benefit of all the scholars of the town in giving them equal chances.

In closing the chairman of your Board desires to say that he lacks the leisure time which is demanded to do justice to the work of superintending the schools.

Frank C. Clement, } School Board
James M. Harriman, } of
Amos L. Merrill. } Warren.

Warren, N. H. Feb., 26, 1887.

FINANCIAL.

The School Board charge themselves as follows:

Rec'd from the town amount required by law,	\$567 00
"	raised extra, 500 00
"	lease money, 15 0d
"	literary fund, 93 44
"	interest of Dow fund, 50 00
"	of Benton, 68 00
" wood sold for singing school,	75

Total Receipts, \$1294 18

Expended as follows:

FOR SCHOOL NO 1—CLOUGH'S.

Paid teacher of Fall school,	\$78 00
" Car fare one way,	1 35
For one half cord wood fitted for stove,	1 85
Building fires,	50
On repairs—G. M. Clough, work 7 days,	7 00
" H. U. Merrill, for paint,	1 05
" 415 ft. floor boards,	4 56
" Lock, nails, screws, etc.,	1 10
" W. F. Eaton, 72 ft pine boards,	1 08

SCHOOL NO 2—VILLAGE.

Paid teacher in Grammar room, S. T., 65 00

Paid teacher, car fare one way,	\$1 35
" in primary room,	60 00
" car fare one way,	45
For cleaning schoolhouse and washing curtains,	2 50
Frank Gale, for 2 1-8 cords green wood at \$3 00,	6 38
E. B. Eaton, 3 15-16 cords dry maple wood,	14 00
Freeman Avery for sawing wood, etc.,	1 90
Express bill on outline maps,	40
Mr. Mason for moving 2 cords wood,	75
For building fires,	2 00
Putting wood in shed in the fall,	30
J. S. Jewett's bill for kindling wood and crayons,	1 47
E. R. Griffin, for repairing tables,	45
For stove knee and fixing funnel,	45
Asa B. Merrill, for carrying his scholars to village school, Summer term,	5 00
John T. Page, for carrying his daughter to the village winter term,	8 00
E. B. Eaton, for 2 chairs and water pail,	1 85
Teacher of Grammar school Winter term,	105 00
" Car fare one way,	2 00
" Of primary room winter term,	78 00
" Fare one way, "	95
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	\$358 20

SCHOOL NO. 3—EAST WARREN.

Paid teacher of first term,	\$36 00
" Car fare one way,	1 15
" Of second term,	72 00
" Car fare one way,	45
" Of third term,	48 00
John Moses, for carrying children,	10 00
Mrs. Chas. Whitcher, cleaning schoolroom.	1 00
Jas. Jewell, for load of wood,	1 00
Chas. Whitcher, 1 cord soft wood,	2 00
A. L. Merrill, 2 " "	4 00

Paid Joe Whitcher, 7-8 cord hard wood,	\$2 85
A. French, for sawing 2 1-2 cords and building fires, 1	75

	\$180 20

SCHOOL NO. 4—BEECH HILL.

Paid teacher for Fall term,	\$65 00
For building fires,	50
One cord dry wood fitted for stove,	3 75

	\$69 25

SCHOOL NO. 6—SWAIN HILL.

Paid teacher of Summer term,	40 50
“ Fall “	75 00
Car fare one way,	1 45
H. D. Whitcher, for 3-4 cord of wood, broom, dipper, etc.,	3 37
W'm. Swain, for 1 1-2 cords wood,	5 25
For cleaning and repairs,	1 00

	\$126 57

SCHOOL NO. 7—SUMMIT.

Paid teacher of Summer term,	\$55 00
“ Fall “	71 50
“ Car fare one way each term,	70
“ Of Winter term,	67 50
“ Car fare one way,	1 60
For an unabridged dictionary, at Manchester,	8 20
C. W. Cummings, for 4 1-2 cords slab wood,	10 00
J. W. Harriman, for broom and eraser, “ lock, 2 brooms and repairing,	50
schoolhouse and stove doors,	1 60
For building fires for the year,	3 00

	\$219 60

SCHOOL NO. 8—ORE HILL.

Paid teacher of first term,	\$45 00
Car fare one way,	50
Teacher of second term,	58 50
Car fare one way,	35
Mrs. Merrill, for cleaning,	1 00
Mr. Goodwin, one cord wood,	
Repairs and building fires,	
	{ \$4 75
	\$110 10

SCHOOL NO. 9—FOOTE'S.

Paid teacher of Fall term,	\$71 65
C. W. Cummings, for 2 squares cut glass,	70
For setting,	25
R. Batchelder, for 1. cord dry wood,	4 00
Mrs. Howland, for cleaning,	1 00
For building fires,	50

	\$78 10

SCHOOL NO. 10—CUMMINGS'.

Paid teacher, spring term,	\$32 00
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.	
Paid for 1-2 gal. liquid slating in Boston,	\$3 20
H. U. Merrill, for slating blackboards,	1 50
Camel's hair brush for slating,	50
Doz. "best" erasers for blackboards,	3 50
Express on " from Boston,	25
Two double seats at the Summit,	8 25
Freight on " "	25
E. B. Eaton & Son, general bill for water pails, ladles, crayon, chairs, window glass, locks etc.,	5 32
For blank teachers certificates,	35
Various small items,	56

Total expenditure,	\$23 68
	\$1294 19

Statistical * Table.

No of School. Term.	Names of Teachers.	No. of Pupils attending the following studies.																							
		Length in weeks.			Number of Pupils.			Average attendance.			Wages per month.			Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Grammar.	History.	Algebra.	Composition.	Geography.	Philosophy.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.
1 1	Nellie M. Eastman,.....	12	7	4	26	7	7	6	2											3					
1 1	Henry H. Hilton { Grammar	10	29	27	26	29	29	28	13	4	1									22					1
2 2	School.	12	35	24	35	35	35	32	15	3	2	20								7					1
1 1	Mary J. Wheet, { Primary	10	24	20	24	24	23	10	16											6					
3 2	Room.	12	21	14	26	21	20	17	17											13					
1 1	Hattie M. Palmer,.....	8	25	19	18	25	25	14	15	3										8					
2 2	Mary J. Wheet,.....	12	21	20	24	21	21	14	14	2										13					2
4 3	Henry L. Cotton,.....	8	20	14	24	20	20	17	20											17					
1 1	Alice V. Pillsbury,.....	13	10	7	20	10	10	7	8	4										4					
6 1	" "	9	14	11	18	14	14	12	11	4										7					
2 2	Oscar Drake,.....	12	16	9	25	16	16	12	12											8					
7 1	May F. Morrison,.....	10	41	31	22	41	41	39	35	10		2	10							15					
2 2	" "	11	42	30	26	42	42	39	35	8	6	2	18							4	5				2
3 3	Oscar Drake,.....	9	34	24	30	33	33	30	28	10		2								14	4				10
8 1	Susie E. Currier,.....	10	15	13	18	14	11	7	12	4		1								7					
2 2	Alice M. Williams,.....	13	16	11	18	16	15	7	13	4										8					
9 1	Henry L. Cotton,.....	13	16	11	22	16	16	6	13	2										9					
10 1	Mrs. E. R. Griffin,.....	8	6	5	16	6	6	4	6											2					1

Total number of weeks schooling, 192. Number of different scholars attending school not less than two weeks, 165. This does not include the 17 scholars from Benton. Number over 15 years of age, 29.

